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Case - Timothy N. Pfeiffer,
Subject - Homicide, New Brunswick, N.J.;
Investigation - Mr. DeM.

DEM / Barnhardt

February 17, 1923. Interviewed Mr. & Mrs. Barnhardt in their home in Paterson, N.J.

Mrs. Barnhardt showed me a letter which Eleanor Mills wrote to Charlotte while Charlotte was at Asbury Park - No date appeared on the letter. The contents of the letter said that Hall took her (Eleanor) to a dentist named Hasbrouck in New York City; that she had two teeth extracted and the work cost \$20.00, and how wonderful Hasbrouck was. Also that if Charlotte had any doubt, she could secure information from anybody as to what sort of a place Hasbrouck has. She said she was going to make good for the money Mr. Hall spent for the dentist, and how wonderful he was. She said that they gave her gas - Also that Jim is very calm.

The Barnhardt's also informed Mr. DeM. that Mr. Hartman and Mr. Parker are working on the case. Mrs. Hartman is pumping Mills and Charlotte, and giving it to Mr. Parker. Mr. & Mrs. Barnhardt said that Mr. Parker and Mr. Totten had been down to see them in Paterson, and that they limited the time until 8 p.m.

Mrs. Barnhardt does not seem to have much use for Totten or Beekman, and she criticised Parker a bit saying, that he had a very untidy office as there were a lot of dirty books, ash-cans and a lot of old things hanging around. Also that Parker does not impress she (Mrs. Barnhardt) very much. She then said there is a difference between Mr. Parker and I (DeM), stating that Parker says that he is positive that Jim Mills done it, whereas I tell them *I am seeking information,* She says that Parker has used typewritten abstracts of the letter, going over the same ground as I (DeM) did with it. At times Mrs. Barnhardt was a bit suspicious, thinking that I (DeM.) might be working with Mr. Parker. For the sale of the photographs to the newspapers they got \$50.00 for Charlotte.